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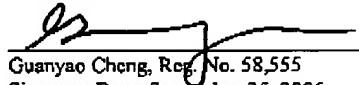
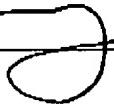
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PATENT APPLICATION

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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Sir:

This REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION and RESPONSE is in response to the Office Action mailed March 24, 2006 and the Advisory Action mailed June 19, 2006. An appropriate Petition for Extension of Time to Respond is submitted herewith, together with the appropriate fee.

**Amendments**

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 2.

Remarks begin on Page 6.

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